

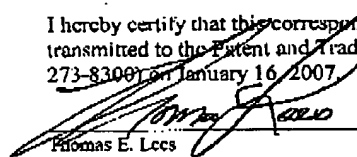
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This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action of October 16, 2006.
Reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested in light of the amendments
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Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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